A—Sri ALUR HANUMANTHAPPA (Deputy Minister for Minor Irrigation).—

(*a*) (i) Mandageri Right Bank (South) chanel : 21 acres per cusec.
(ii) Mandageri Left (North) 22 acres per cusec.
(iii) Hemageri channel : 20½ acres per cusec.

(*b*) 50 acres per cusec.

(*c*) Necessary steps are being taken to extend irrigation under the channels to the extent possible by providing controlling arrangements and attending to remaining obstructions as and when required.

Raising the water level of Kanva Project

*Q.—76. Sri T. MADIAH GOWDA (Ramanagaram).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether any representation is made to Government to raise the water level of the Kanva Project and if so, when and by whom ;

(*b*) whether it is a fact that measurement are taken to raise it by several contours ;

(*c*) how many acres and how many persons are going to be submerged by raising the same at different contours ?

A.—Sri ALUR HANUMANTHAPPA (Deputy Minister for Minor Irrigation).—

(*a*) No.
(*b*) Preliminary investigations are being conducted.
(*c*) The matter is still under investigation.

Procurement of Jowar.

*Q.—99. Sri RAJA PID NAIK (Shorapur).—

Will the Government pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that Government is procuring jowar from producers in the State according to the jowar procurement order ;

(*b*) if so, the quantity procured in Gulbarga District so far (Talukwar) ;

(*c*) whether the jowar procured would be stored in respective taluks for distribution to the people ?